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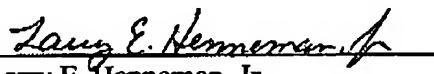
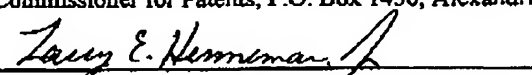
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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated **February 8, 2005**, please amend the above identified application as follows.